

CALHOUN COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY

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ADOPTION APPLICATION / CONTRACT

Name _____ Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Evening Phone _____ Daytime Phone _____
E-mail Address _____ Cell Phone _____
Employer _____ Drivers License Number _____
Number of adults in household: Men _____ Ages _____ Women _____ Ages _____
Number of children in household: Boys _____ Ages _____ Girls _____ Ages _____

Type of dwelling:

House Apartment Trailer Condo/Townhouse Duplex/Triple
Other Explain _____

Do you own or rent? Own Rent

If you rent, do you have the landlord's permission to keep a dog or cat? Yes No

Is a pet deposit required? Yes No If yes, please attach a receipt showing the deposit has been paid.

Landlord's name, address, and phone number so we may contact: _____

Please list all pets you currently own:

Dogs _____ Breed _____ Stay Indoors _____ Outdoors _____
Ages _____ Male _____ Neutered _____ Female _____ Spayed _____
Cats _____ Breed _____ Stay Indoors _____ Outdoors _____
Ages _____ Male _____ Neutered _____ Female _____ Spayed _____

Are all your pets current on shots? Yes No If not, explain _____

If your pets are not spayed or neutered, why not? _____

Current veterinarian so we may contact:

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

How long have you used this veterinarian? _____

Previous veterinarian (if any) Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

If you have no pet history, please provide us with two personal references:

Name _____ Phone _____ Relationship _____
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Environment:

Where will this pet be kept? (Circle one)

Outside Inside & Outside Inside

How large is your yard? _____ Is it securely fenced (no gaps, no holes)? Yes No

If yes, what kind and how tall? _____

If pet is kept outside: Do you have shade trees? Yes No Do you have a dog run? Yes No

Do you have shelter from the elements? Yes No Dog house Garage Other _____

Do you have a pool? Yes No If yes, is it securely fenced? Yes No

What arrangements will you make for this pet if you need to go away for a few days? _____

Do you agree to take your pet to the veterinarian for regular check-ups, routine vaccination? Yes No

How long do you plan to have this pet? _____

What do you consider a valid reason for giving up a pet? _____

Have any adults in your household ever surrendered or had to give up a pet? When, why, and to whom? _____

Do you *object* to an initial visit to your home prior to adopting a pet? Yes No

We cannot guarantee our pets are housebroken. Should the need arise are you willing to housebreak this pet? Yes No

We will attempt to provide you with an honest evaluation of temperament on any animal we have. Do you realize that the complete history of an animal cannot be known and **you may encounter some health or behavioral problems?** Yes No

I agree that this animal will not be used as a mouser or guard animal and will not be trained to hunt or fight. If a dog, I agree that this animal will be placed on Heartworm preventative immediately if older than six weeks.

I release Calhoun County Humane Society from any liability and responsibility for damage or injury, to persons, property or other animals caused directly or indirectly by the dog or cat I am adopting. **I understand Calhoun County Humane Society generally does not know the nature, disposition, or health of the animals, and that they give no warranty, expressed or implied as to any of the above.**

I understand that if the information provided on this application is found to be untrue/incorrect or if this pet is later found to be receiving inadequate care, abused, neglected, improperly housed or handled, I will surrender the pet to Calhoun County Humane Society upon demand. **I agree to return the pet if I cannot keep it and to notify Calhoun County Humane Society immediately if the pet is lost or dies.** I understand that Calhoun County Humane Society will not be obligated to refund the adoption fee or any expenses incurred by this adoption.

If this pet is not already neutered or spayed, I ensure that the procedure will be completed before the due date of _____, 2012. I am aware that not neutering or spaying this animal before this date is a violation of this contract.

Signature of Adopter

Date

Signature of Calhoun County Humane Society Representative

Date

Thank you so much for choosing to adopt your new friend from Calhoun County Humane Society. Please call us if you have any questions or concerns. We are here to help you!

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Animal Health Record # _____

Pet Name _____

Animal adopted (circle one): Dog Cat

Male Female

Adoption / Pick-Up Date _____

Adoption Fee Paid \$ _____

Cash _____ Check # _____